CHAPTER NO. 51

SENATE BILL NO. 1327

By Henry

Substituted for: House Bill No. 1111

By West, Briley

AN ACT To provide for directional signs to Father Ryan High School on Interstate Highway 65 in Davidson County.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, the Department of Transportation shall erect and maintain directional signs for Father Ryan High School on Interstate Highway 65 at Exit 79, both northbound and southbound, in Davidson County.

SECTION 2. The erection of such directional signs shall be within the guidelines prescribed by the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices.

SECTION 3. This act shall become operative only if the Federal Highway Administrator advises the Commissioner of Transportation in writing that the provisions of this act shall not render Tennessee in violation of federal laws and regulations and subject to penalties prescribed therein.

- SECTION 4. (1) This act shall become operative only if Davidson County, Tennessee, either remits the estimated cost of the erection of such signs to the Department of Transportation within one (1) year of the effective date of this act or manufactures such signs in accordance with the provisions of subdivision (2). Davidson County shall make such payment prior to any expenditure by the state for manufacture or installation of such signs. The department shall return any unused portion of the estimated cost to Davidson County within thirty (30) days of the erection of such signs. If the actual cost exceeds the estimated cost, Davidson County shall remit an amount equal to the difference in such costs to the department within thirty (30) days of receiving an itemized invoice of the actual cost from the department.
- (2) Davidson County may manufacture and erect such signs provided that such signs are manufactured and erected pursuant to state and federal guidelines and approved by the department.

SECTION 5. This act shall take effect July 1, 2001, the public welfare requiring it.

PASSED: March 26, 2001

JOHN S. WILDER SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

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APPROVED this 4th day of April 2001

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